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SUBJ: CONSULAR PACKAGE - FY 1976

REF : A-4500, JUNE 4, 1974: AMSTERDAM 55, JANUARY 28, 1974

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FY 1974 FY 1975 FY 1976

PART I - IMMIGRANT VVISAS

POST DOES NOT ISSUE IMMIGRANT VVISAS AND THERE ARE NO PLANS
TO HAVE IT DO SO IN FY 1975 AND FY 1976

PART II - NONIMMIGRANT VVISAS FY 1974 FY 1975 FY 1976

(ACTUAL (PROJ. (PROJ.
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NIV S ISSUED 40.232 45.000 50.000
(EXCL. BCC'S AND CREWLISTS)

NIV'S REFUSED 118 130 150

NIV'S REVAL/TRANSFERRED 0 0 0

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SUB TOTAL NIV CASES 40.350 45.130 50.150

BCC S ISSUED 0 0 0

CREWLISTS PROCESSED 202 210 220

INDIVIDUAL NAMES INCLUDED 6.187 6.300 6.500

TOTALS: 40.552 45.340 50.370

MAN HOURS UTILIZED:

A. AMERICAN 1.795 1.980 2.100

B. LOCAL 4.016 4.500 4.650

TOTAL PROD.MAN HOURS: 5.811 6.480 6.750

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED DLS. 949.65 1.057 1.200

PART III - SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

DEATHS OF AMERICAN CITIZENS 21 21 22

ESTATES AND PROPERTY CLAIMS 168 160 160

NOTARIALS 1.376 1.400 1.450

WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS 574 600 650

ARRESTS 37 40 45

SEAMEN AND SHIPPING 255 300 350

SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL OR

STATE AGENCIES: 1.807 1.900 1.950

TOTAL: 4.238 4.421 4.627

TREASURY CHECKS 0 0 0

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED DLS 2.940.65 3.000 3.500

MAN HOURS UTILIZED:

A. AMERICAN 820 850 900

B. LOCAL 5.227 5.300 5.400

TOTAL PROD. MAN HOURS 6.047 6.150 6.300

PART IV - CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES

PASSPORT APPL. EXECUTED 1.276 1.300 1.350

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PASSPORT APPLICATIONS EXAMINED 0 0 0

FEES PASSPORTS ISSUED 1.239 1.240 1.290

NO-FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED 57 60 60

PASSPORTS AMENDED 152 160 170

PASSPORTS VERIFIED 0 0 0

NEW APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION(A) 68 75 80

BIRTH AFFIDAVIT, REGISTRATION AND

REPORT OF BIRTHS (FS-240) 268 300 325

WITNESS TO MARRIAGE	0	0	0
WAIVER OF PASSPORTS	10	12	14
TOTAL:	3.070	3.147	3.289

REGISTRATIONS:

(B) NUMBER REGISTERED 4.400 4.500 4.600

(C) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF US NAT.

CIVILIAN RESIDENTS	5.000	5.100	5.200
US OFFICIALS	11	11	11
US NON-OFFICIALS	4.989	5.089	5.189

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED DLS 15.319 16.000 16.500

MAN HOURS UTILIZED:

A. AMERICAN	563	565	605
B. LOCAL	4.296	4.320	4.360
TOTAL:	4.859	4.885	4.960

SCHEDULE V - REMARKS

DUE TO THE ENERGY CRISIS AND OTHER FACTORS AFFECTING TRAVEL TO THE U.S.A., NIV ISSUANCE IN FY 1974 INCREASED OVERALL BY ONLY 3 PERCENT. HOWEVER, THE RATE OF INCREASE OVER THE FIVE PRIOR YEARS AVERAGED 20 PERCENT YEARLY AND IT IS EXPECTED THAT THIS OR A COMPARABLE RATE OF GROWTH WILL REASSERT ITSELF BARRING UNFORSEEN CIRCUMSTANCES. BY CONTRAST WITH THE FULL YEAR FIGURE, THE MONTHS OF MAY AND JUNE REGISTERED UPSURGES OF 10 PERCENT IN NIV ISSUANCE. BY CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATE, NIV ISSUANCE SHOULD RISE AT AN ANNUAL RATE OF 11 PERCENT DURING THE NEXT TWO FISCAL YEARS FOR A TOTAL OF 50,000 VISAS ANNUALLY BY FY 1976.

WHILE PASSPORT, CITIZENSHIP AND SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES LEVELED OFF IN FY 1974, IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE CELEBRATION OF THE 700TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF AMSTERDAM, WHICH UNCLASSIFIED

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IS BEING ACTIVELY PROMOTED BY THE MUNICIPALITY AND RELATED TRAVEL BODIES IN THE UNITED STATES, WILL RESULT IN A SHARP INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF AMERICANS VISITING AMSTERDAM IN FY 1976 WITH AN ATTENDENT DEMAND FOR SERVICES.

POST FOR OVER A YEAR HAS URGED CONSIDERATION OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF A THIRD CONSULAR OFFICER TO AMSTERDAM, MOST RECENTLY IN THE CONSULAR PACKAGE SUBMITTED VIA AMSTERDAM 55. WE CONTINUE TO BELIEVE THAT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SUCH A POSITION BY FY 1976 IS JUSTIFIED EVEN IN THE ABSENCE OF STRONG STATISTICAL INCREASES IN WORKLOAD DURING FY 1974.

OTHER LOCAL FACTORS AFFECTING WORK TRENDS:

1. OF NONIMMIGRANT VISA APPLICANTS IN AMSTERDAM APPROXIMATELY FIVE PERCENT REQUIRE USE OF INTERPRETER.

2. APPROXIMATELY FIFTY PERCENT OF NONIMMIGRANT VISA APPLICANTS ARE INTERVIEWED BY EITHER CONSULAR OFFICER OR LOCAL EMPLOYEES,
3. APPROXIMATELY 200 NONIMMIGRANT VISA CASES RESULT IN ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS DURING FISCAL YEAR,
4. DURING FY 1974 CONSULAR STAFF REPLIED TO 18 CONGRESSIONAL LETTERS - SIX VISAS, SIX CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORTS, AND SIX SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES.
5. DURING FY 1974 ONE CONSULAR OFFICER WORKED FIFTEEN HOURS OVERTIME, FOR WHICH HE WAS PAID DLS.116.85 BOTH CONSULAR OFFICERS WORKED 100 HOURS OVERTIME FOR WHICH THEY WERE NOT PAID OR OTHERWISE COMPENSATED. TWO LOCAL EMPLOYEES WERE PAID FOR A TOTAL OF FIFTEEN HOURS OVERTIME AT COST DFL.387: THREE LOCAL EMPLOYEES IN THE VISA SECTION WORKED A TOTAL OF 58 HOURS OVERTIME FOR WHICH THEY WERE NOT PAID.

CONSULAR STAFFING
FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITIONS

BUREAU: AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL
POST AND COUNTRY: AMSTERDAM, NETHS.

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